## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) Docket No. ATKN101CIP (Small Entity) In Re Application Of: ATKINS Confirmation No. Customer No. **Group Art Unit** Filing Date Examiner Application No. 7878 07/22/2003 **NGUYEN** 21,658 3751 10/625,300 Invention: TOILET OUTLET SEAL **COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:** This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action 06/09/2006 in the above-identified application. The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired): ☐ Five months ☐ Four months ☐ Three months ☐ One month 11/06/2006 09/06/2006 until: from: Date Date ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27 The fee for the extension of time is \$225 and is to be paid as follows: A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. ☐ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. ☐ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. ☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038. Dated: NOVEMBER 3, 2006 Signature STEPHEN M. NIPPER DYKAS, SHAVER & NIPPER, LLP I certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient PO BOX 877 postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to the **BOISE, ID 83701-0877** "Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA (208) 345-1122 22313-1450" [37 CFR 1.8(a)] on **NOVEMBER 3, 2006**

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